GARRETT, 225; THE REST, 175. LAMENTABLE CONDITION OF THE B. AND Q. PURCHASE,

Anyhody Can Have the Trunk Line Rail-road on These Terms for its Stock-Indi-entions that Ives and Stayner Are Weary. Some interest was revived in Wall street

resterday in the alleged Baltimore and Ohio Railroad deal, by the publication of statements that the Ives-Stayner option upon a majority of the Baltimore and Ohio stock would not ex pire until the end of the month, that it had been extended to that time pending an exami-nation of the property, and that if the investigation should not prove satisfactory, or rather, confirm the description of the goods, the \$100,000 paid to Mr. Robert Garrett for the option is to be refunded. It was also said the It is understood that all of this information

came from the Ives-Stayner crowd, and probably is their preliminary step in stepping down and out of the option business. The spectacle of people like Ives and Stayner telling Mr. bert Garrett what sort of a property his father left him impresses Wall street as rather ludierous. It also has its pitiable aspect.

A railroad man who knows something about the introduction of Ives and Stayner to the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road is authority for the statement that the merest novice at railroading knows more about the business than they do. Their business seems to be to buy railroads on speculation in imitation of genuine bankers and railroad men, but

business than they do. Their business seems to be to buy railroads on speculation in imitation of genuine bankers and railroad men, but thus far they have succeeded in getting thembelves landed with the first and only road they have bought.

The statement that the Ives option calls for stock at 175 is misleading. So fur as the price is concerned the figures are the same as those that were named to Mr. Alfred Sully, that is, 436 a chare for the stock belonging to Mr. Bobert Garrett and his family, and \$175 a share for the stock belonging to Mr. Bobert Garrett and his family, and \$175 a share for the stock of other people. To the purchaser this makes no particular difference, as it makes the average about \$200, but it is not calculated to gratify the stockholders of the Saltimore and Ohio Company, who have been led into saling or pledging their stock to Mr. Garrett obtained his first option on a part of the stock he controls some months ago, when he reduced the dividends from 10 to 8 per cent, a year. The reduction in dividends meant a decrease in revenue to the Johns Hopkins University of about \$38,000 a quarter, and fearing further reductions in consequence of the management of the property, particularly its financial policy, the trustees of the university at their holdings of the stock. Some of them tried to get him to buy it, but he would not. He finally agreed to take one-half of the university stock at \$175 a share, and has since obtained an option on the whole at that price. Mr. Garrett's efforts to get out of the railroad business in order to devote himself to more congenial pursuits date back some months. About a year ago the control of the property was offered to Mr. Gould at much less than \$200,000, but the trade as proposed by Mr. Garrett's comes to prefer to sell options upon his property rather than sell it, the suggestion was made on Wall street, however, takes a serious view of the matter as well, and Mr. Garrett's keams to prefer to sell option to the Hon. Russell Sage. Wall street, however, take

# The Bominie's Daughter."

Four excellent things in "The Dominie's play at Wallack's Theatre last evening, were the climaxes of the acts. In the first, a Continental spy, in the time of the Amercan Revolution, had been trapped in his tather's New York house by British soldiers; the officer in command was a lover of the imperilled man's sister; and she, wildly determined upon saving her brother, assailed the life of her sweetheart. The second depicted the arrest of the girl's father, a preacher, at the door a rebellious sermon, and simultaneously the escape of the maiden, whose incarceration had sentimentally plotted by a repulsed admirer. The third was less tumultuous but mirer. The third was less tumultuous but pulte as moving, for it made the girl consent to marry the hated wooer on condition that he liberate her father from a deadly prison. The fourth consisted of the voluntary relinquishment of the bride by the unioved bridegroom, at the church door, to the rival for whom she sorrowed. These episodes had the domestic quality of unexpectedness, they were spiritedly presented, and they served valuably to let the curtain down amid tremendous applause.

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If there had been nothing poorer in "The Dominie's Daughter," its success would have been tremendous instead of doubtful. The andeniably bad element was a dull and tedipus amount of comedy, which was not helped by its exponents. There was also a large quantity of declamatory patriotism, which was received uproariously by the people in the gallery, and which was applauded, too, in the parquet, but seemingly less from delight than a sense of traditional duty. The drama was meritorious in its sincere presentation of Revolutionary scenes and characters in New York. Its story was simple, direct, and appealing, and as a piece of fiction it was a credit to its author; but judged as stagecraft it was unskilful in the movement of its persons, unnecessarily improbable in its minor events, and a loser of sympathy through unsteadiness of purpose in the principal participants.

Only nine actors were required, and out of so large a company as Wallack's a good cast was easily chosen. The two British officers were fir. Bellew and Mr. Keley, Miss Robe was a charming heroine. Several parts would have been better treated by performers without a modern London accent, jonsidering that they were supposed to be bolonial New Yorkers, but on the whole ustice was done to the play. The scenery was good, especially an exterior view of a church, which was both correct and beautiful.

#### Thomas Popular Matinee.

The Thomas popular matinée at the Metolitan Opera House yesterday opened with Schubert's "unfinished" symphony, the first movement of which was played with admiravariety of expression, and the sec-with the tender grace in keepwith its loveliness, Especially note-thy features in the performance worthy features in the performance of the other orchestral works—the vorspiel and finale to "Tristan and Isolde." the "Freischütz" overture, a Bach air, a waltz movement for string orchestra by Volkmann, and the ball scene from Berlioz's "Romeo and fullet" symphony—were the forceful cilmax toward the close of the finale of the Wagner music-drama and the noble breadth of tone imparted to the Bach air.

Mme. Dory Bermeister-Peterson contributed tame performance of Liszt's "Hungarian and santasia," the only brilliant features in the inserpretation of this most brilliant composition for plano and orchestra being in the playing of the orchestral interludes. Being, nevertheces, encored, she played with far happier efect a sentimental piece, drawing forth a lovely singing tone from the plano.

The Performance of "Nero." The fourth performance of Rubenstein's "Sero" will be given at the Metropolitan Opera House benight. The last evening performance of "Nero" will be given on Monday next. To morrow afternoon the company will be heard in Flotow's "Martha."

#### High License in New Jersey.

TRENTON. March 24.—High license occupied the stientien of the Assembly to-day. The immediate subject under consideration was the rolle of a bill introduced by Mr. Corbin early in the session, and intended to relies the license fee to 8500 throughout the State. The committee changed it so that it provided that the fee moule not be less than \$50 nor more than \$500. It is now sowhere below the former figure, and in some places is above the latter. In Plainfield it is \$500, and nightly hard to get at that. Mr. Corbin mourned so mightly hard to get at that. Mr. Corbin mourned so the core of the control of the service of the places where it is already more than the mask mum fixed by the bill. In this shape it was ordered to a bird reading. The Senate has a remaine high license till which it will probably pass, but there is no hope for the Assembly.

THE STEWART COLLECTION SALE. \$160,500 Paid for Sixty-nine Pictures-To-

Among the pictures in the Stewart collection sold last evening at Chickering Hall were few of the important and popularly known pictures, yet there was as big a jam at the doors to get inside as on the first night. The pfeture which was on the easel to challenge the admiration of the spectators while they were assembling was F. Auguste Bonheur's "Environs of Fontainebleau." It is a picture of woodland and cattle, and its dimension are 18 feet by 9 feet 10 inches. It brought the highest price of the evening, and was sold to Mrs. J. Lawrence Smith, a niece of the late

Mrs. Stewart, for \$17,800.

Manazer Thomas E. Kirby, the auctioneer, lamented in full dress that the first night's sale was a loss of \$130,000 to the Stewart estate. He didn't complain of that, he added, but he hoped the bidders would be sprier to get their pictures. The first stir was made by the expo-sure of Munkacsy's "A Visit to the Baby." It was started at \$2,000, and it went up at \$1,000 jumps to \$8,000. It was sold for \$8,700. Wilwas started at \$2,000, and it went up at \$1,000 jumps to \$8,000. It was sold for \$8,700. William Hart's "Golden Hour" went for \$1,000 to Thos B. Clark. "The Gladiators, or Pollice Verso." a picture much lithographed and popular in years past, was sold for \$11,000 to F. G. Bourne, agent for the Clark estate. It cost Mr. Stewart's request. "The Serpent Charmer," one of the Wonderbilis.

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Erskine Nicol's picture. The Disputed Boundary," was sold for \$1,230 to Thomas B. Clark, Last sold was the "Triumph of Julius Casar," by E. J. Horace Vernet, deceused. Heber R. Bilshop bought it for \$2,300.

To-night will be the last picture sale. Interest in the sale centres in the "1807—Friedland." A warm time is expected, as an agent of the French Government will be one of the bidders. The agent has said while the picture was on exhibition in the American Art Galleries that it was a mistake of the Government that the picture should have been permitted to be brought to America if money could have retained it in the Louvre.

There were sixty-nine pictures sold last evening for \$160,500. The total of the two evenings sale is \$270,625. The number in the catalogue, the artist's name, the purchaser's name where given, and the price paid for each picture are as follows:

25. Jan Cheminsky, "Off for the Hunt" \$200.

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75. Jan Chelminsky, "Off for the Hunt".

78. Jan Chelminsky, "Return from the Hunt".

77. T. T. Damschreuder, "The Cavaller's Story;"

I. F. Boyes.

78. Pierre de Coninck, "My Pet".

79. G. Boddini, "The Washerwoman;" Stanford White.

80. Carl Bocker, "The Rendezvous".

81. Ladisfaus Bakalowicz, "The Interesting Bakalowicz, "The Interesting Red".

St. Charles Bangniet, "The Socret Missive.

80. Edward Zamacon, "The Begging Monk,"
Jay Gould.

87. Florent Willems. "The Invalid".

88. E.J. Verboecknoven, deceased, "The Fight,"
E. A. Kearney.

80. Lorenco Valles. "La Tentation".

91. Arthur F. Tait. "Grouse".

92. V. Torte. "The Promenade—A Lady of the
Time of the Directory;" S. A. Coale...

83. Henri G. Schlesinger. "Pecka Boo".

94. Cavaliere Attilio Simonetti, "La Femme Galante".

95. P. Michetti. A Misty Morning, Rome.

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97. M. et Munkasy. "The First Smoke."

98. Edouard Richter, "An Oriental Paddier
Showing His Wares."

100. Frederick H. Kaemmerer, "The Croquet
Party".

101. Albert Bierstadi, "Natural Park and Lake,
Southern California".

102. William Adolphe Bouquereau, "The New
Born Lamb".

103. Jean Gustave Jacquet, "An Eastern
Princess."

104. Edouard Robute, deceased, "Lady and Par-Born Lamb".

108. Jean Gustave Jacquet, "An Eastern Princess".

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105. Eugene Benjamin Fiehel, "Going to Mass—Church of Saint Sulpice, Eighteenth Centry," Walter Watson.

106. William Hart. "The Golden Hour;" Thomas B. Clark.

107. Karl Herpfer, "The Godfather's Visit;" Mr. Noyes, a Boston dealer.

108. M. K. Keilogs, "After the Bath".

109. C. F. Dubukny, deceased, "The End of the Month of May. After the Bath".

110. J. Month of May. Cased. Bois de Boulogne—Return from the Races".

111. Edward Ender, "Schiller at the Court of Weimar".

112. Jean C. Bonnefond, deceased, "The Black.

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112. Jean U. Bonnefond, deceased, "The Black-smith"
113. Emmanuel Leutza, deceased, "Paradise and the Feri"
114. A. Lindlar, "The Cascade"
115. Jean Charles Meissonier, "Nico"
116. Laddislans Bakalowicz, "Henry V.
117. Herre Edouard Prere, "Dimper Time"
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118. Charles Edouard Prere, "Dimper Time"
119. Charles Edouard Prere, "Dimper Time"
119. Griuseppe Gastiglione, "The Villa Torionia"
120. Earl Clasen, "Queen Katharine and Cardinal Wolsey."
122. Felix Ziem, "Quai dei Schlavoni"

Woisey. "Queen anarama and the work of the sion"

128. Mariano Fortuny, deceased, "The Serpent Charmer: "8 P. Avery Jr.

129. Otto Grashof, deceased, "The Cid".

130. J. P. Hasendever, deceased, "The Politi-131. Jean Louis Ernest Meissonier, "At the Bar-

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Buck Ewing came to town yesterday, and is the seventh tried and true man of the New York Club's old team. The seven were on the Polo grounds yester-day practising. They were all cheerful and healthy looking, and said that they were only too anxious to begin real work. Capt. Ward said that they were alittle
heavy in weight, but that it was a fault that work would
wear away. The new rules did not seem to bother them.
It is understood that Murphy has been released by the
Philadelphia Club.
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The Detroits are said to be suffering from overpractice. The New Haven (tub will become a member of the Connecticut League. A Springfield club has been organized, and will become a member of the Eastern League.

Active preparations are being made for the opening of the base ball season at Indianapolis, but none of the players have yet reported. This fact is causing the management considerable embarrassment, as the first game is to be played next Friday. All of the man are holding to be payed next Friday. All of the man are holding to be payed next Friday. All of the man are holding it to be pushed that Neckcon will sign with the indianapolis (the within a day or two.

Manager James Mutrie of the New York Club arrived in Boston yesterday. What "Jemms" is looking for is a third baseman. Of course he wouldn't like Sutton. Still, there is a rumor that on a pinch he might take him.—Boston Globe.

Hoston has offered \$10,000 for Richardson of the Detroits.

Bargains in Highly Bred Trotters.

Judges of trotters versed in pedigrees secured bargains at the Kellogg combination sale yester day. Queen Besa, b. m., 1873, by Rysdyk's Hamble-tonian, brought the top price, \$1.330, going to W. R. Willets. Daisy Strideaway, b. m., 1874, by Smith's son of Strideaway, was sold to J. F. Cornell for \$700; Zer of Strideaway, was sold to J. F. Cornell for \$700; Zer-line, b. m., 1882, by Dick Leomer, son of Dictator, to F-G. Babcock, \$650; Stella W. b. m., 1881, by Alden Gold-smith, to C. E. Blias, \$600; Seata, br. m., 1871, by Death Hohawk, to J. S. Ferguson, \$589; Randolph Maid, b. m., 1874, by Don Giovanna, to W. R. Willets, \$757; Mountain Maid, b. m., 1877, by De Long's Ethan Allen, to R. A. Derman, \$410; Nauchie, b. f., by Alcanara, to David Ronner, Forty-five others were sold at prices tailing down to \$90, a yearfing filly by Ringwood selling for the amount last named.

Bacing at New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, March 24.-The weather to-

good condition.

First Race—For non-winners at the winter meeting:
six furlongs. Phil Lee won by a neck: Gen. Price second, a length ahead of Probus. Time, 1:17.
Second Race—Seven furlongs: selling. Miss Daly won
by two lengths: John Henry second, Miles third. Time,
1:32.

Third Race—For all ages; one mile. Bob Miss won by
half a length; Editor second, a length ahead of Revoke,
third. Time, 1:45.

Racing in England.

LONDON, March 24.-This was the first day of the Liverpool spring race meeting. The principal events were the races for the Prince of Wales's Cup and the Molyneux Stakes. The Prince of Wales's Cup was won 

Port Chester Birds Win a Main.

There was a cocking main at a resort near Rys. Westchester county, between birds from Port Ches-ter, owned by Johnson, and those from Harrison, owned by Hunt, on Wednesday night. The main was for 800 each battle and 8200 on the odd fight, Seven battles were fought, of which Port Chester birds wen all but the first better.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

Victory for the Cable Road in the Assembly -- Deacon Richardson Busy in the Lobby. ALBANY, March 24 .- Zerubbabel Erwin ofered this morning the bill appropriating \$37,000 tered this morning the bill appropriating \$37,000 to furnish and decorate the Executive Mansion, which, has been completed within the \$104,000 appropriation. Some of the Republicans attacked the bill because Commissioner Perry, who has charge of the Capitol, had a share in building it. The bill went to third reading.

The first square fight on the cable road came up to-day on Judge Greene's bill to give the company power to rehabilitate itself, notwithstanding the adverse decision of the Court of

standing the adverse decision of the Court of Appeals. The Bailroad Committee reported the bill adversely, and Judge Greene moved to lisagree with the report. Carried—66 to 80.

Mr. Mulry's bill, which corresponds with enator Traphagen's cable road bill, still stays

in the Raijroad Committee of the Assembly, Mr. Mulry moved that the committee be discharged from further consideration of it, but the Assembly thought the committee bould have more time to consider the bill, and rejected the motion by a close vote. The feeling, though, was in favor of a cable road, notwithstanding the protests of Mr. Grosby and others. Mr. Shea tried to get his flat rail bill reported, too. This bill enforces a universal change from the usual T rail, similar to that used in Philadelphia. Mr. Shea agreed not to press his motion on condition that the Railroad Committee would report by next Tuesday.

In the course of the railroad debates Deacon Richardson received some severe raps. The Deacon is up here this year in the interest of the street ear lines. He is frequently seen on the floor of the Assembly and inside the rail, notwithstanding the Speaker's strict rules against allowing lobbyists within the rail, Judge Greens and Mr. Shea charged in the debate that the Deacon had a controlling interest over the Railroad Committee, One of the members of the committee partly admitted that the Deacon hook a great interest in railroad logislation, and was up here to look after it. This was the work the notable Bir. Sharp formerly did.

The Ives high license pool was reported favorably from the Judiclary Committee, and on motion of Mr. Ives was made a special order for Thursday evening next.

Senator Aurphy offord a bill in the Senato Senator Aurphy offord a bill in the Senator Murphy offord a bill in the Senator Department of the Railroad Committee of the papers to be sold on those roads if it was not paid. In the case of one Brooklyn naper they demanded \$50 a week to allow the sale of the papers on the City Hall station alone. This was in addition to the profits which are granted to the trade. Senator Murphy's bill provides for the sale of newspapers on the Grey Senator Senator Senator of the papers of the City Hall station alone. This was in addition to the profits which are granted to the trade. Senato

open all night.

The Murphy Tenement House Reform bill as amended was again passed.

At the evening session of the Assembly the Clark land transfer system and the Draper Uniform School Examination bill were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Frank C. Hollins of Frank C. Hollins & Co. of the Stock Exchange says that he is an out and out buil from this on. He said yesterday: "Our firm has been bearish since before the December panic. The boom in Southfor some months past, until stocks have gone into strong boom will be in the West, particularly between the 38th and 41st parallels of latitude. This is the winter wheat belt, producing 70 per cent. of the wheat crop; it is the corn belt; it produces the hogs, cattle, horses, coal, minerals, and everything that people need, creating a commerce which enables railroads to grow out of alost any reasonable debt. The indications are that an most any reasonable debt. The indications are that an extensive boom is about to commence west of the Mississippi River, about the 38th parallel of latitude, which is about the centre line of population of this country, where there is probably as much arable land as east of the Mississippi River, and where there are something less than 12,000,000 on people, as compared with nearly 50,000,000 east of the Mississippi River. The emigration into Missouri, Kansas and Colorado from the Eastern States is very arge, and real estate is rapidly advancing in value in those States. Population and propagative tart there that will eclipse anything of the kind that

has been known in the past." A trip through many of the transfer offices yesterday elicited the information that at the moment the daily average of railroad stocks transferred for European ac-count is between 1,200 and 1,200 shares. It was declared that the floating stock is fast disappearing from the street, and although the bull leaders do not desire too much company, there is a bright prospect for better prices. Mr. Addison Cammack hasn't been in the street prices. Mr. Addison Cammack hash't been in the street in a week, and several brokers told a Sux reporter yes-terday that there was little or no demand to borrow stocks in the loan corner.

Major Selover, at one time a power in Wall street, and

The Major was taken to the home of his brother, James M., 17 Boulevard.

Mr. Henry Allen of the Produce Exchange took yesterof the May option, and assisted a moderate break in the price. Mr. Allen said that he believed that short sales of wheat from this time out will net big profits. Assistant Treasurer Charles J. Canda received a cable

at the Sub-Treasury yesterday from Mr. Conrad N. Jor-dan stating that the Arizona, with himself and Mr. Manning, had reached Queenstown, and that all were well. A grist of Stock Exchange incidents: Mr. C. M. Ward and Mr. John A. Rutherford have been elected mem-bers. Mr. Ward ventured on the floor yesterday for the first time, and took his punishment like a brick. Mr. Rutherford will run the kauntlet in a few days. Mr. Tasker H. Marvin, one of the plucklest bulls in the street. was readmitted to membership, for which his friends in New York and the men of the Hamilton Club, Brooklyn, said they were glad. The Governors of the Exchange decided that it should be closed on Good Friday. The other down-town Exchanges will also be closed than.

The wheat market on the Produce Exchange seemed to drop of its own weight during the greater part of yes-terday. The cables were not particularly encouraging, and it was said that the Western bulls appeared to be a little tired. May dropped to 91 cents, but recovered a trifle. Exporters took sixteen boat loads, with the Lon-don steamships taking grain at lower rates than those current between Buffalo and New York when the Eric Canal is in operation.

peration.

buils had a pleasant little field day and were The cotton bulls had a pleasant little field day and were apparently secure in their position for the moment. They refer to the fact that the exports since Sept. 1 are 632,000 bales ahead of the corresponding period last year. One of the noticeable features was that April is sciling at about May figures when it should be (by custom) 8 to 10 points below, but this, it was said, was due to the bull factics of John H. Inman & Co. The petroleum and coffee folks also incline to the bull aide of the fence for their respective products.

An Important Ratirond Deal.

Boston, March 24.—An agreement was made this afternoon by the directors of the Passumpaic and the Boston and Lowell roads for the lease of the former by the latter corporation. This consummates a great railroad deal and makes Boston the seaport terminus of the Canadian Pacific system. The lease of the Passumpaic is in effect to the Boston and Maine road, for the latter road next week takes possession by lease of the Boston and Lowell and all its lease dines.

If Mr. Jackson, the Pamous Beteetive, Follows the habit described in yesterday's papers he will surely fall a victim to quackery. He should wear Benson's Plasters if he needs relief from backache, strains, recumentum, coughs, cuica, pleurly, &c.—250.

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THURSDAY, March 24. gree of activity to-day, and with it there was a The leaders in the limited speculation were Pacific Mail. Northwest, Fort Worth and Denver City, and Lackawanna. The last named was the most active, though it did not become conspicuous until late in the day. The movement in it exerted a reviving influence upon the other coal stocks. A dividend is due upon Lackawanna to-morrow, and this, together with the generally satisfactory and improving condition of the anthracite coal trade, formed the ostensible basis the advance. The continued strength of Northwestern and also of the Omaha stocks is regarded by a good many dealers as significant of favorable developments affecting the group. Pacific Mail was advanced upon the theory that thelearnings of the company will be materially increased by the operations of the Inter-State law. As a matter of fact the company is, according to official statements, entirely free from debt, and has considerable eash on hand. The current reports of the gross earnings of the Fort Worth and Denver road show an increase of about 100 % cent This fact and the progress that is being made toward developing the property are sufficient

This fact and the progress that is being made toward developing the property are sufficient to account for the course of the securities of the company.

A good deal of to-day's animation appeared to be inspired from Boston, and some of the favorite stocks of Boston dealers were unusually active here. The dealings in Atchison were exceptionally large, and so were those in the Allantic and Pacilie securities. It appears that the relations of the last named to the Atchison have become closer in more than one respect since the Atchison joined in the guarantee of the Atlantic and Pacilie lasts. Besides, the earnings of the road are said to be increasing constantly, so that the prospects are that this year all fixed charges will be earned. Although the transactions were not large, the market was far from being a narrow one in the sense of being confined to a few stocks. The distribution of the transactions was remarkable. Among the specialties that received noteworthy attention were Columbus and Hocking Coal, Colorado Coal, and Kingston and Pembroke. The last named was dealt in upon the regular list for the first time to-day.

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There were very few developments affecting prices. The February was manifestly an encouraring influence. The advance in sterling exchange was ignored and foars of stringent money have about died out. The Richmond and Terminal report excited no comment and the stock was much quieter than usual. London counted for nothing, the market there being dull and steady, and no special disposition to trade in this market was discernible from that quarter. The market as a whole looked substantial and acted natural, and doubtless the moderate confident buying inspired a great deal of hope of a larger speculation.

In the Unlisted Department, Brooklyn Elevated 2ds sold at 781, to 548, and Lake Erie and Western preferred 87 to 89%; Florida Railway, 58 to 60, and preferred 87 to 89%; Florida Railway, 58 to 60, and preferred 87 to 89%; Fl

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Del. & Hudson. 101	1014	Oreson & T. C. 314	815					
E. Tenn. 240	724	Pacific Mail. 644	504					
F. W. & D. City 373	384	Rock 181and. 1258	129					
Kan & Texas 31	314	Rich & W. P. 334	384					
Lake Shore. 40	655	745	Fac. T. & 285	284				
Missouri Fac. 1056	107	1010	Pacific	673	573			
Sor. Pac. pref. 564	265	Western U. Tel. 754	755					
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DE FORREST—MAYS.—On Tuesday, March 22, at the residence of the bride's parenta by the Rev. Wm. H. Ford. John De Forrest to Eugenie, daughter of John Mays. PHILLIPS—LONGSTREET.—At the residence of the bride's parents on Wednesday, March 23, by the Rev. S. D. Burchard. A. J. Phillips to Margaret M., daughter of Samuel Longstreet, Eq., all of this city.

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Money on call moderately active at 5 % cent. Sterling exchange was strong and higher, owing in part to the reduction in the Bank of England rate of discount and a scarcity of commercial bills. Posted asking rates were pretty generally advanced % cent % pound to 14.86 for long bills, and 44.88% for demand. The open rate of discount in London was quoted to-day as low as 1% w cent.

The statement for February of the New York, Lake Eric and Western Railroad Company, including 68 % cent. of the earnings and all of the working expenses of the New York, Pennings of \$1.761,182, an increase of \$209,696, and net earnings 484,180, an increase of \$10,648; For the five months ending Feb. 28 the gross carnings were \$9.734,772, an increase of \$885,521, and the net earnings \$2.752,481, an increase of \$317,848. The gross earnings of the Eric road alone during February were \$1,457,957, an increase of \$210,482; the net carnings, \$450,135, an increase of \$107,615; and for the five months the gross earnings were \$7.918,566, an increase of \$716,664, and the net \$2,672,299, an increase of \$229,927.

The call for S % cent, Government bonds.

The Bank of England has reduced its rate of discount from 3% F cent. to 3 F cent. The bullion in the bank has increased £637,000 during the past week. The amount gone into the bank on balance to-day is £60,000. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows a decrease of 7.200,000 francs in gold and an increase of 3,025,000 francs in silver. Paris advices quote 3 F cents at 81,05, and exchange on London, 25.34.

#### New York Markets.

ber. 870c. for November, and 8,72c. for October. 870c. for November, and 8,72c. for December; sales. 174,200 bales. Spots 1-18c. dearer; midding uplands. 104c.; Guifa, 107-10c. Receipts at the ports. 4,505 bales.

Gasis—Wheat futures were dull at drooping prices, in sympathy with weak Western and foreign accounts; sales 2,240,000 bash. at 01,601/2, for May, 105/4,601/2, or days, 105/4,601/2, o

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Principus—Crade certificates were less depressed, but dull, opening at 62%c, selling at 62%g-63%c, and closing at 63%g-63%c, sales 857, axo blos.

Ockad Principus—The low frates for grain led to liberal shipments to Great Britain at 13%d to London, 24d, to Hull, and 2d, to Glasgow, with some business at 13c, to Oporto, Sc. to Bordeaux, and 2s. 2s quarter to Copenhagen.

#### Live Stock Market.

New York, Thursday, March 24.—No trading in beef cattle; no receipts for the market. Exporters and city trade slaughters were waiting the arrival of 80 car loads. Bressed beef firmer at \$7.256(\$\frac{1}{2}\$\$\), \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$ (0.5) and \$6\$ here, all to the Bernardas. To day's cable advices from London and Liverpool quote sherican steers higher at 1946(124c. \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$\) \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$ of the freezed weight, sinking the offal, and American refrigerator beef framer and bifter a were steady \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$\). By the freezed weight, sinking the offal, and American refrigerator beef framer and bifter a were steady \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$\) \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$\ veals were steady at 36.2c. R B. Receipts, 200.
Sheep and lambs in fair demandat 56.0c. R B. for sheep and 66.7c for yearling lambs. Receipts, 6.00d.
No trading in live hogs, as the 13 car loads that arrived were for slaughterers direct. Nominally drimer at \$5.00g.

### Court Calcudars This Day.

Lyman and F. C. Gressel, 11 A. M. M.; Jane Brady, 2 P. M.

SUPRIOR COUNT—SPECIAL TERM.—No calendar. Part II.—Core and Control of the Property of the Property

#### MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

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Ship Hugo, Kuelkhen, Handberg.
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Norfolk.
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Sa Wilkesbarre, Cates, Boston.
Sa Pomona, Legoes, St. Ann's Bay.
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Ship Alexander Yeats, Bunhan, London.
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HADLEY.—On Wednesday, March 23, Wm. C. Hadley, in his 31st year.

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HENDLEN—On Tuesday, March 22, Thomas T. Hendlen, in his 76th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 72 Summer av., Brooking, on Saturday at 2? M. Relatives and friends are invited.

JOHNSON.—At Jamaica, L. I., on March 23, Martin G. Johnson, in the 15st year of his age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Saturday afternoon, March 23, at 3 o'clock, from his late residence, Liberty av. Carriagos will be at Morris Park station on arrival of train leaving Fiatbush av. at 2

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JOUFFRAY.—On March 24, 1867, Mrs. Felicity Jouffray, in the Etal year of her age.

Funeral service from St. Augustina's Chapel. Houston st., orcosite 2d av., on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

LOUZ.—On March 24, at his late residence, Anton Loux, in the Only of the Age.

Notice of funeral in to-impressor appers.

NAGINN.—Or hard 23, Catherine, wife of James Maginn, a native of Arctee, county lauth, Irstand.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day at 2 P. M. from the residence of her son-in-law G. H. Silier, 260 dith st., South Brooklyn. Interment in Flatbush Cametery.

MILLIKEN.—On March 23, John Milliken, aged 63 years.

Funeral from St. John's Church, Varick st., to-day at 10 o'clock. Funeral from St. John's Unuren, various on Wednesday OPPEN HRIMER.—After a brisf illness on Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock, lierman Oppenheimer, a native of Biles Kastel, Germany, aged 47 years.
Relatives friends, and members of societies of which deceased was a member are invited to attend the fundamental of the control of the contro PEARNON.—On Tuesday, March 22, Henry C., young-eat son of Phebe S. and the late Samuel Pearson, in the 34th year of his age. Funeral services will be held at his late recidence, 494 Jersey av., Jersey City, to-day at 11 o'clook A. M. Inter-ment at Stamford. Com. REYNOLDS.—On Wednesday, March 28, Sarah, widow of Patrick Reynolds, a native of county Leitrim, Ireland, in the 54th year of her age. A solemn mass of requiem will be offered for her soul to-day at 10 A. M. at 8t. Mary's Church, Dover, N. J. RYAN.—On Wednesday, March 28, Mary Ryan of Balli-nahinch, county Tipperary, Ireland, in the 87th year of her age.

nahinch, county Tipperary, Ireland, in the out year of her age, and those of her sons John, Michael, Pat-rick, and her son in-law Peter Burns, are respectfully in-viced to attend the funeral from her late residence, S47 East Suh st., on Friday, March 25, at 2:30 F. M. Philadelphia papers please copp. SHERRY.—Ellen Moris Sherry, born in Dingal, Kerry years.
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House R. L. At East Orange, N. J., on March 22, Martha M. Scoueld, wife of Matthias Soverel, in the 58th year

STEARNS.—On Wednesday, March 22, Mary Stearns, wife of Charles S. Searns.
Funeral services at St. Mark's Church, 2d av. and 10th st. on Saturday, March 28, at 1 o'clock.
UNDERHILL.—At Pounksepsie. N. Y., on Tuesday, March 22, Edmund B. Underhill, In the 54th year of his agree The funeral will be held at Friends' Meeting House, Montgomery st., Pounksepsie, 10-day at 1:30 o'clock.
WANDELL.—At his residence, 102 East 53d st., on March 23, Benjamin C. Wandiel.
Funeral services at the Madison Av. Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of 66th st., on Saturday, March 23, at 4:30 o'clock. Friends will please omit flowers.
WELSHMAN.—On March 22, Ann, widow of Robert Welshman.

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